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Assay of Copper 1856-1857

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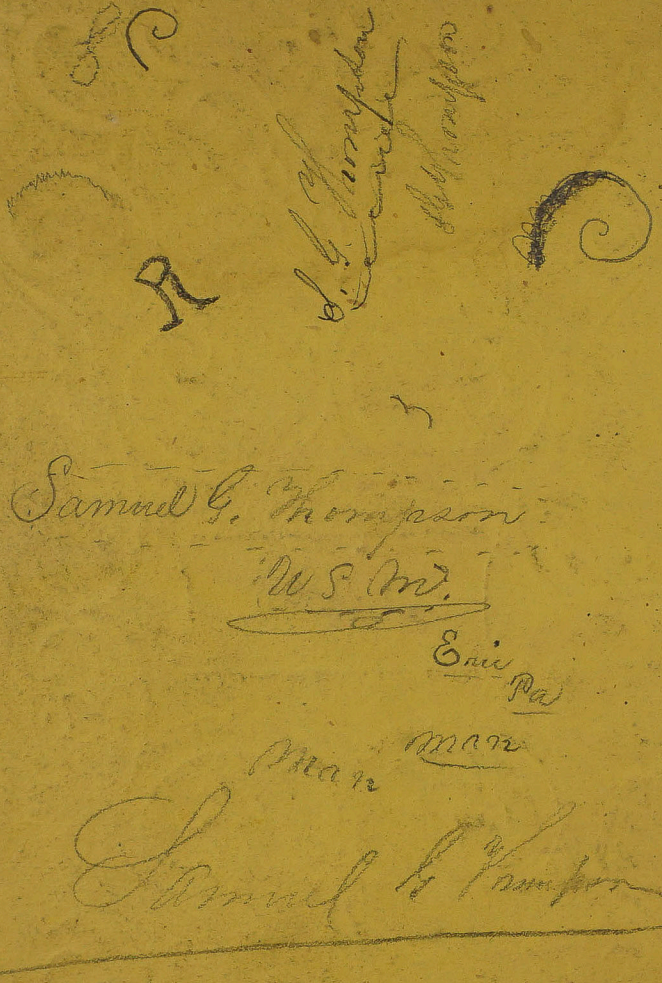
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1856

July Thursday 2nd

Copper Assays

784 198

Proof

Gold - 670
Silver - 130 - 190
Copper - 200

July Friday 8th

791 - 72

Proof

Gold - 780
Silver - 200 - 74
Copper - 70

792 - 67

Proof

Gold - 920
Silver - 20 - 61
Copper - 60

794 - 7

Proof - 1

Wednesday July 9th

Copper Assays

797 - 5

Proof - 0

799 - 5

798 - 40

Proof

Gold - 480
Silver - 540 - 39
Copper - 30

800 - 130

Proof

Gold - 580
Silver - 800 - 128
Copper - 120

Friday July 11th

804 - 80

Proof

Gold - 780
Silver - 130 - 74
Copper - 70

1856

Friday July 11th

Copper Assays

805 - 5

Proof - 2

Saturday July 12th

812 - 4

Proofs - 0

Tuesday July 15

813 - 5

Proof - +1

814 - 5 6

Proof

Gold - 75 0
Silver - 170 } - 60
Copper - 60

Wednesday July 16

815 - 67

Gold - 700
Silver - 240 } - 65
Copper - 60

Wednesday July 16

Copper Assays

816 - 6

817 - 6

Proof - 1

819 - 7

820 - 5

822 - 5

823 - 6

824 - 5

826 - 3

Thursday July 17th

827 - 6 1

829 - 10

Proof - 2

831 - 7

832 - 5

Friday July 18th

834 - 6

Proof - 1

836 - 7

1856

Saturday Early 19

Copper assays

898 - 72

Prov

Gold - 640
Silver - 690 } - 77
Copper - 70

839 - 7

Prov - 0

842 - 138

Prov

Gold - 175
Silver - 170 } - 165
Copper - 155

Tuesday Early 22nd

840 - 84

Prov

Gold - 780
Silver - 140 } - 80
Copper - 80

Tuesday Early 22nd

Copper assays

847 - 69

Prov

Gold - 850
Silver - 280 } - 75
Copper - 70

Wednesday Early 23rd

845 - 34

Prov

Gold - 470
Silver - 300 } - 48
Copper - 90

Thursday Early 24

852 - 5

Prov - 0

Saturday Early 26

861 - 72

Gold - 650
Silver - 285 } - 67
Copper - 65

Monday July 28th 1806

Copper assays

862 - 56

Proof

Gold - 750
Silver - 195 } - 56
Copper - 55

Tuesday July 29

863 - 1/2

Proof

Gold - 650
Silver - 250 } - 99
Copper - 100

864 - 6

Proof - 0

865 - 4

Wednesday July 30

866 - 3

870 - 5

Wednesday July 30

Copper assays

871 - 6

Proof - 41

873 - 4

874 - 5

875 - 3

Thursday July 31st

880 - 7

Proof - 1

882 - 6

884 - 7

Friday August 1st

885 - 10

888 - 6

Proof - 1

889 - 9

890 - 9

1838

Saturday Aug 2nd

Copper Assays

892 - 8

Proof - 2

Sunday Aug 5

894 - 185

Proof

Gold - 630
Silver - 213 } - 157
Copper - 153

Monday Aug 7

907 - 45

Pr (30) - 3

908 - 79

Proof

Gold - 630
Silver - 280 } - 77
Copper - 70

Friday Aug 8

Copper Assays

909 - 51

Proof

Gold - 750
Silver - 205 } - 48
Copper - 45

910 - 163

Proof

Gold - 660
Silver - 180 } - 160
Copper - 160

911 - 4

Proof - 1

Monday Aug 11

915 - 104

Proof -

Gold - 550
Silver - 393 } - 58
Copper - 45

1855

Monday Aug 11

Copper Antelope

714 - 103

Prof

Gold - 560

Silver - 340 } - 99

copper - 100

Friday Aug 17

924 - 40

Prof

Gold - 760

Silver - 200 } - 45

copper - 40

Saturday Aug 16

925 - 211

Prof

Gold - 400

Silver - 400 } - 211

Copper - 200

Saturday Aug 16

Copper Antelope

929 - 6

Prof - 8

Monday Aug 18

939 - 35

Prof - 2

932 - 3

904 - 57

Prof

Gold - 700

Silver - 200 } - 54

Copper - 500

Tuesday Aug 19

928 - 71

Prof - 1

986 - 6

939 - 5

1856

Thursday Aug 21

Copper Assay

945 - 12

947 - 8

Prof - 3

949 - 7

950 - 9

Friday Aug 22nd

953 - 145

Prof

Gold - 330 }
Silver - 320 } - 138
Copper - 130 }

Tuesday Aug 26th

954 - 130

Prof

Gold - 680 }
Silver - 190 } - 127
Copper - 130 }

Tuesday Aug 26

Copper Assay

958 - 197

Prof

Gold - 720 }
Silver - 90 } - 180
Copper - 190 }

Tuesday Assay

957 - 191

Prof

Gold - 680 }
Silver - 190 } - 128
Copper - 130 }

958 - 199

Prof

Gold - 720 }
Silver - 190 } - 182
Copper - 190 }

1856

Wednesday Aug 27

Copper Assays

986 - 50

Prov

Gold - 750
Silver - 205 } - 54
Copper - 45

Friday Aug 29

972 - 838

Prov

Gold - 890
Silver - 550 } - 42
Copper - 30

Monday September 1

978 - 5

Prov - 1

Tuesday Sept 2nd

978 - 8

979 - 8

981 - 7

Tuesday Sept 2

Copper Assays

982 - 8

Prov - 1

983 - 8

984 - 9

986 - 78

Prov

Gold - 650
Silver - 280 } - 80
Copper - 70

987 - 74

Prov

Gold - 720
Silver - 215 } - 78
Copper - 65

Wednesday Sept 3

969 - 4

Prov - 3

990 - 8

Thursday Sept 4 1856

Copper Assays

994 -13-

Proof -1

995 -5

Friday Sept 5

997 -6

Proof -1

Saturday Sept 6

998 -7

Proof -2

999 -167

Proof

Gold -610
Silver -230 } -165
copper -160

Monday Sept 8th

Copper Assays

1002 -60

Proof -

Gold -750
Silver -200 } -57
copper - 50

1004 -38

Proof

Gold -850
Silver -140 } -12
copper - 10

1004 -85-

Proof

Gold -850
Silver -125 } -30
copper - 25

Thursday Sept 1st 1836

Copper Setting

1006 - 7

1008 - 18

Proof

Gold - 650
Silver - 175 } - 25
Copper - 25

1005 - 15

Wednesday Sept 10

1021 - 139

Proof

Gold - 620
Silver - 245 } - 136
Copper - 105

Thursday Sept 16

1033 - 189

Proof

Gold - 750
Silver - 165 } - 65
Copper - 85

Tuesday Sept 18

Copper Stamp

1034 - 8

1035 - 8

Proof - 1

1036 - 6

1037 - 64

Proof

Gold - 750
Silver - 190 } - 85
Copper - 60

Wednesday Sept 17th

1038 - 8

1039 - 6

Proof - 3

1043 - 7

1040 - 45

Gold - 450
Silver - 510 } - 57
Copper - 49

1856

Wednesday Sept 17

Copper assays

1041 - 95

Proof

Gold - 730
Silver - 185 - 91
Copper - 85

Thursday Sept 18th

1044 - 61

1046 - 5

Proof - 1

1049 - 8

1051 - 6

Friday Sept 19th

1052 - 7

Proof - 1

Sunday Sept 22

1059 - 7

Proof - 1

Tuesday 23d

Copper assays

1062 - 65

Proof

Gold - 625
Silver - 315 - 86
Copper - 60

1064 - 93

Proof

Gold - 470
Silver - 445 - 96
Copper - 85

1065 - 163

Proof

Gold - 245
Silver - 105 - 156
Copper - 150

1066 - 73

Gold - 790
Silver - 205 - 70
Copper - 65

1886

September 26th

Copper Assays

1070 - 71

Proof

Gold - 300
Silver - 940 } - 71
Copper - 60

September 31st

1083 - 2

1084 - 8

1085 - 6

Proof - 0

1090 - 5

1091 - 7

1016 - 175

Proof

Gold - 640
Silver - 190 } - 168
copper - 170

September 31st

Copper Assays

1087 - 77

Proof

Gold - 750
Silver - 170 } - 75
copper - 75

October 1st

1093 - 5

1094 - 6

1097 - 6

1098 - 5

Proof - 2

1099 - 6

1100 - 6

1102 - 6

1095 - 98

Proof

Gold - 680
Silver - 225 } - 100
copper - 95

1855

October 1st

Copper Assays

1101 - 67

Proof

Gold - 750
Silver - 185 } - 69
Copper - 65

October 2nd

1103 - 7

Proof - 1

1104 - 6

1105 - 40

Proof

Gold - 400
Silver - 565 } - 48
Copper - 85

Cameo Proof - 47

Proof

Gold - 960 } - 40
Copper - 40

October 4th

Copper assays

1112 - 7

Proof - 2

1113 - 8

October 6th

1117 - 4

Proof - 2

October 7th

1119 - 8.4

Proof

Gold - 700
Silver - 175 } - 78
Copper - 75

1120 - 61

Proof

Gold - 750
Silver - 190 } - 64
Copper - 60

1

1856

October 7th

Arthur Assays

1122 - 55

Ores

Gold - 950
Silver - 50 } - 49

October 8th

1120 - 160

Ores

Gold - 780
Silver - 90 } - 151
Copper - 100

October 9th

1126 - 5

Ores - 1

1127 - 137

Ores

Gold - 540
Silver - 340 } - 128
Copper - 120

October 10th

Griffin Assays

1133 - 165

Ores

Gold - 630
Silver - 195 } - 170
Copper - 175

October 11th

1104 - 38

Ores

Gold - 800
Silver - 100 } - 55
Copper - 50

1137 - 59

Ores

Gold - 760
Silver - 170 } - 97
Copper - 50

October 15th 1855

Copper Assays

1143-7
1144-5
1147-6
1148-6
Prov-1
1149-8
1152-7
1158-7
1154-7
1155-6
1156-7

October 16th

1164-71
66-7
67-7
68-6
Prov-1
7-6

Sunday Oct 19th

Copper Assays

1173-5
1174-5
Prov-1
1175-7
1177-93
Prov
Gold-700
Silver-160 } -92
Copper-90

October 22nd

1182-5
Prov-+1
1187-50
Prov
Gold-750
Silver-270 } -50
Copper-30

October 24th

Copper Range

1190 - 8

Prop - 1

1192 - 43

Prop

Gold - 600
Silver - 380 - 48
Copper - 35

1193 - 63

Prop

Gold - 700
Silver - 200 - 58
Copper - 50

October 25

1196 - 8

Prop - 1

1198 - 38

Gold - 420
Silver - 490 - 61
Copper - 50

1855 October 27th

Boston Range

1200 - 6

Prop - 0

Oct 28th

1201 - 5

Prop - 1

1202 - 29

Prop

Gold - 700
Silver - 220 - 31
Copper - 20

Oct 29th

1203 - 155

Prop

Gold - 450
Silver - 400 - 107
Copper - 150

October 30th 1855

Copper Assays

1204 - 38

Prov

Gold - 720
Silver - 240 } - 45
Copper - 40

1205 - 6

1206 - 8

Prov - 2

1207 - 7

1208 - 6

1209 - 5

1210 - 7

1211 - 80

1213 - 6

Reassays

1211 - 34

Prov

Gold - 975 } - 27
Copper - 25

Oct 31st

1214 - 12

1215 - 11

1216 - 8

1217 - 7

Prov - 2

1218 - 7

1219 - 59

Prov

Gold - 750
Silver - 200 } - 57
Copper - 50

1220 - 8

November 3d

1227 - 6

Prov - 0

November 8th

1226 - 7

Prov - 2

November 5th 1855.

Copper Assay

1280 - 56

Prof

Gold - 780
Silver - 175 } - 55
Copper - 45

1291 - 58

Prof

Gold - 860
Silver - 395 } - 58
Copper - 45

November 6th

1232 - 30

Prof

Gold - 700
Silver - 275 } - 35
Copper 25

November 6th

Copper Assay

1236 - 205

Prof

Gold - 570
Silver - 230 } - 204
Copper 200

1239 - 30

Prof

Gold - 710
Silver - 265 } - 35
Copper - 25

November 9th

1242 - 10

Prof - 9

1243 - 38

Prof

Gold - 420
Silver - 330 } 46
Copper - 30

1856

Copper Assays

December 10

1246 - 67

Proof

Gold - 750
Silver - 190 } - 67
Copper - 60

December 12th

1248 - 38

Proof

Gold - 750
Silver - 225 } - 35
Copper - 00

Copper Assays

November 13th

1201 - 41

Proof

Gold - 650
Silver - 815 } - 45
Copper - 35

November 14th

Copper Assays

1254 - 183

1255 - 5

Proof - 1

November 16th

1258 - 9

1260 - 7

1261 - 6

1262 - 5

Proof - 2

1263 - 8

1265 - 8

November 17th

1272 - 7

1273 - 7

1274 - 7

1276 - 6

Proof - 1

1277 - 6

1278 - 8

November 18 1855

Copper Cents

1280 - 91

Proof -

Gold - 750
Silver - 160 } = 91
Copper - 90

1282 - 87

1283 - 4

Proof - 1

November 19

1285 - 7

1286 - 6

1288 - 6

1289 - 5

Proof - 1

1290 - 5

1291 - 6

November 19

Copper Cents

1280 - 147

Proof

Gold - 610
Silver - 250 } - 147
Copper - 140

1292 - 43

Proof

Gold - 550
Silver - 410 } - 55
Copper - 40

November 21st

1295 - 6

1296 - 7

Proof - 1

1297 - 5

November 22nd 1858

Copper pieces

1299 - 6

Proof - 1

1901 - 7

November 27th

1312 - 75 -

Proof -

Gold - 850

Silver - 30 } - 99

Copper - 170

1315 - 102

November 28th

1318 - 37

Proof

Gold - 420

Silver - 350 } - 43

Copper - 30

November 28th

Copper pieces

1319 - 65 -

Proof

Gold - 750

Silver - 190 } - 63

Copper - 60

November 29th

1323 - 44

Proof

Gold - 660

Silver - 390 } - 53

Copper - 450

December 1st

1327 - 87

Proof

Gold - 730

Silver - 170 } - 86

Copper - 75 -

1336

December 2nd

before assay

1329 - 7

Proof - 1

1331 - 51

Proof

Gold - 170

Silver - 280 } - 56

Copper - 30

December 3d

1336 - 5

1337 - 5

1338 - 6

1341 - 5

Proof - 0

1343 - 7

1344 - 5

1341 - 6

December 4th

before assay

1346 - 59

Proof

Gold - 670

Silver - 275 } - 62

Copper - 35

1347 - 41

Proof

Gold - 780

Silver - 290 } 48

Copper - 40

1348 - 6

Proof - 2

December 5th

1349 -

December 6th

1352 - 29

Proof

Gold - 640

Silver - 331 } - 37

Copper - 25

1856

December 10th

Bullion Assays

1336 - 7

Proof - 1

1337 - 7

1344 - 6

1357 - 118

Proof

Gold - 680

Silver - 230 } - 114

Copper - 110

1356 - 175

Proof

Gold - 680

Silver - 145 } - 174

Copper - 175

1361 - 76

Proof

Gold - 750

Silver - 153 } - 69

Copper - 63

December 12th

Copper Assays

1362 - 8

Proof - 1

1363 - 174

1364 - 75

Proof -

Gold - 500

Silver - 495 } - 82

Copper - 65

December 15th

1272 - 5

Proof - 1

December 17th

1374 - 8

1375 - 2

Proof - 2

1376 - 7

1378 - 7

1856

December 17

Copper Assay

1380 - 6

Pwt - 6

1389 - 35

Pwt

Gold - 640
Silver - 328 } - 43
Copper - 55

1375 - 7

1376 - 7

Pwt - 1

1385 - 8

December 18th

1351 - 5

1382 - 10

1388 - 9

Pwt - 1

1385 - 7

1388 - 8

December 19th

Copper Assay

1389 - 8

90 - 6

91 - 7

92 - 6

Pwt - 2

93 - 6

94 - 7

1400 - 50

Pwt

Gold - 700
Silver - 285 } - 93
Copper - 80

December 22nd

1406 - 6

Pwt - 1

1409 - 51

Gold - 750
Silver - 200 } - 52
Copper - 50

January 1st 1857

Copper Kings

1 - 5.4

Pony

Gold - 360
Silver - 380 } - 67
Copper - 20

January 3d

2 - 136

Pony

Gold - 680
Silver - 290 } - 33
Copper - 30

January 5th

5 - 7

Pony - 2

7 - 6

8 - 89

Gold - 620
Silver - 805 } - 84
Copper - 75

January 6th

Copper Kings

11 - 13.9

Pony

Gold - 770
Silver - 380 } - 165
Copper - 130

January 7th

12 - 9

Pony - 3

January 10th

2 - 5

Pony - 0

January 13th

2 - 12

Pony - 4

26 - 259

Pony

Gold - 120
Silver - 280 } - 118
Copper - 10

1857

January 15th

Copper Canyon

27 - 85 -

Prop

Gold - 570
Silver - 330 } 90
Copper - 80

January 14th

30 - 5 -

Prop - 1

January 13th

21 - 6

32 - 6

Prop - 3

34 - 6

35 - 8

33 - 11

Prop -

Gold - 650
Silver - 140 } - 15
Copper - 10

January 16

Copper Canyon

36 - 7.

Prop - 3

37 - 7

January 17th

40 - 102

Prop -

Gold - 490
Silver - 420 } - 100
Copper - 90

January 19th

41 - 58

Prop

Gold - 960
Copper - 40 } - 41

January 20th

44 - 63

Gold - 730
Silver - 195 } - 66
Copper - 15

January 27th 1857

Copper Stamps

48 - 78

Proof -

Gold - 730
Silver - 173 - 76
Copper - 73

January 28th

52 - 8

Proof - 1

53 - 103

53 - 97

January 29th

54 - 139

Proof

Gold - 670
Silver - 195 - 134
Copper - 135

January 29th

Copper Stamps

56 - 107

Proof

Gold - 660
Silver - 220 - 170
Copper - 170

January 31st

61 - 43

Proof

Gold - 600
Silver - 350 - 47
Copper - 40

February 2d

64 - 109

Proof -

Gold - 560
Silver - 350 - 101
Copper - 90

63 - 80

Gold - 920
Silver - 180 - 105
Copper - 100

February 5th 1847

Coppers Assays

69 - 8

Prem - 1

February 6

70 - 34

Prem.

Gold - 450

Silver - 520 } - 42

Copper - 30

February 7.

72 - 68

Prem

Gold - 560

Silver - 380 } - 67

Copper - 60

73 - 25

Prem - 2

February 7

Coppers Assays

74 - 79

Prem -

Gold - 500

Silver - 420 } - 87

Copper - 80

February 11

75 - 75 -

Prem

Gold - 730

Silver - 200 } - 78

Copper - 70

77 - 165.

Prem

Gold - 460

Silver - 980 } 172

Copper - 165

1857

February 11

Copper Pennys

79 - 200

Proof

Gold - 560
Silver - 240 } - 213
Copper - 200

80 - 152

Proof

Gold - 600
Silver - 260 } - 152
Copper - 140

February 13

83 - 130

Proof - 2

84 - 12

February 17th

88 - 5

89 - 4

Proof - 1

February 17th

Copper Pennys

90 - 7

91 - 5

February 18th

93 - 61

Proof

Gold - 700
Silver - 195 } 62
Copper - 55

96 - 82

Proof

Gold - 700
Silver - 185 } - 82
Copper - 75

February 19th

97 - 72

Proof

Gold - 620
Silver - 320 } - 72
Copper - 60

February 19th 1857

Copper Assays

98 - 87

Prov

Gold - 350
Silver - 625 - 45
Copper - 25

February 20th

100 - 131

Prov

Gold - 680
Silver - 270 - 56
Copper - 50

101 - 140

Prov

Gold - 660
Silver - 200 - 140
Copper - 140

February 21st

Copper Assays

102 - 6

Prov - 0

February 23rd

110 - 60

Prov

Gold - 780
Silver - 215 - 56
Copper - 55

109 - 9

Prov - 2

February 26th

115 - 75

Prov

Gold - 720
Silver - 220 - 70
Copper - 62

1857

Febuary 28th

Copper Assays

121 - 40

Prov

Gold - 700
Silver - 180 } - 42
Copper - 35

March 3d

129 - 88

Prov

Gold - 650
Silver - 260 } 98
Copper - 90

131 - 39

Prov

Gold - 400
Silver - 570 } 49
Copper - 80

March 2nd

Copper Assays

132 - 40

Prov

Gold - 320
Silver - 450 } 43
Copper - 30

133 - 13

Prov

Gold - 860
Silver - 100 } - 45
Copper - 40

136 - 42

Pr (40) - 42

March 4th

125 - 50

Prov

Gold - 700
Silver - 200 } - 51
Copper - 45

March 11th 1857.

Copper Assays

160 - 6

Prov - 2

164 - 75

Prov

Gold - 650
Silver - 300 } - 75
Copper - 75

166 - 18

Prov

Gold - 970
Silver - 10 } - 18
Copper - 20

March 17th

76 - 197

Prov

Gold - 910
Silver - 450 } - 204
Copper - 190

March 17th

Copper Assays

77 - 49

Prov

Gold - 780
Silver - 180 } - 48
Copper - 40

March 18th

79 - 62

Prov

Gold - 740
Silver - 200 } - 64
Copper - 60

80 - 57

Prov

Gold - 580
Silver - 370 } - 61
Copper - 30

March 19th 1857

Copper Assays

181 - 83 -

Prem

Gold - 740
Silver - 180 } - 82
Copper - 80

188 - 7

Prem - 2

184 - 8

185 - 6

March 20th

186 - 131

Prem

Gold - 670
Silver - 210 } - 124
Copper - 120

March 21st

Copper Assays

192 - 19

10 Prem - 0

193 - 101

Prem

Gold - 600
Silver - 300 } - 106
Copper - 95

91 - 56

Prem (50) - 2

90 - 52

March 24th

207 - 7

209 - 5

Prem - 1

211 - 8

213 - 60

Gold - 750
Silver - 200 } - 56
Copper - 50

March 26th 1857

Copper assays

128 +40

Proof

Gold - 690
Silver - 480 } -42
Copper - 30

March 27th

219 -18

Proof

Gold - 460
Silver - 280 } -12
Copper - 10

March 28th

220 -8

Proof -1

221 -83

Proof

Gold - 480
Silver - 490 } 43
Copper - 30

March 31

Copper Assays

224 -7

Proof -1

225 -85

227 -68

Proof

Gold - 720
Silver - 215 } -71
Copper - 65

226 -117

Proof

Gold - 720
Silver - 170 } 113
Copper - 110

April 1st

233 -8

237 -6

Proof -2

238 -7

1857

April 2nd

Copper Assays

239 - 7

Prov - 2

April 3d

242 - 10

Prov - 8

April 4th

246 - 10

Prov -

Gold - 830
Silver - 165 } - 10
Copper - 5

April 6th

251 - 5

Prov - 8

April 7th

Copper Assays

254 - 64

Prov

Gold - 630
Silver - 320 } - 68
Copper - 50

255 - 160

Prov

Gold - 940
Silver - 510 } - 174
Copper - 150

April 8th

256 - 92

Prov

Gold - 640
Silver 260 } 96
Copper - 90

April 9th 1857

Copper Ladey

238 - 38

Pony

Gold - 920
Silver - 200 } - 40
Copper - 30

209 - 39

Pony

Gold - 350
Silver - 620 } - 30
Copper - 30

April 10th

262 - 134

Pony

Gold - 200
Silver - 90 } - 134
Copper 130

April 10th

218 - 161

Pony

Gold - 260
Silver - 60 } - 186
Copper - 180

April 13th

67 - 73

Pony

Gold - 730
Silver - 200 } - 7
Copper - 70

68 - 128

Pony

Gold - 440
Silver - 443 } - 11
Copper - 113

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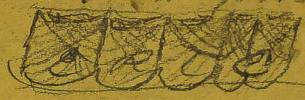

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